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NOTIFICATION

The Governor of Sikkim is hereby pleased to prescribe the following guidelines for conferment of Sikkim State Civilian Awards in the State of Sikkim, namely:-

- Short title, commencement:** (1) These guidelines may be called the Sikkim State Civilian Awards Guidelines, 2022.
- These shall come into force at once.
- The Sikkim State Civilian Awards may be conferred upon those civilian personalities from the state of Sikkim who have contributed exceptionally in the field of Art, Literature, Education, Sports, Medicine, Social Work, Science & Engineering, Public Affairs, Civil Service, Trade & Industry at the National level, State level and District level.
- Occasion on which the Sikkim State Civilian Award are conferred:-** The State Government may confer the Sikkim State Civilian Award on the occasion of the State Day/Republic/Independence Day.
- The name, category, entitlement and eligibility criteria for selection of the award and number of awards to be awarded per year category-wise shall be as here under:-

Sl. No.	Name and Category of Awards	Entitlement to the Awardee	Eligibility Criteria
I	Sikkim Ratna	Cash award of Rs. 5 lakh, a citation, shawl and memento.	Exceptional contribution at the National and International level in the field of Art, Literature, Education, Sports, Medicine, Social Work, Science & Engineering, Public Affairs, Civil Service, Trade & Industry etc.

II	Sikkim Sewa Ratna	Cash award of Rs. 2 lakh, a citation, shawl and memento.	Outstanding contribution at the State level in the field of Art, Literature, Education, Sports, Medicine, Social Work, Science & Engineering, Public Affairs, Civil Service, Trade & Industry etc.
III	Sikkim Sewa Samman	Cash award of Rs. 1 lakh, a citation, shawl and memento.	Outstanding contribution to social up-liftment at the District level in the field of Art, Literature, Education, Sports, Medicine, Social Work, Science & Engineering, Public Affairs, Civil Service, Trade & Industry etc.

6. **Selection Committee:-**The Selection Committee for all the three categories of the Sikkim State Civilian Award shall comprise of the following:-

i	The Chief Secretary, Government of Sikkim	Chairman
ii	The Secretary, Home, Government of Sikkim	Member
iii	The Secretary, Culture Department	Member
iv	The Secretary, Finance, Government of Sikkim	Member
v	The Secretary, CMO	Member
vi	The Secretary (Protocol), Home Department, Government of Sikkim	Member-Secretary

The committee may co-opt a member from the respective field of Department as and when required.

7. The committee shall examine the nomination, if any, received for Sikkim State Civilian Awards and recommend the names for the awards, category-wise, for Government approval.
8. The nominations for the Sikkim State Civilian Award shall be made to the Home Department, Government of Sikkim in the Annexure appended to these guidelines.
9. The Nodal Department for the Sikkim State Civilian Awards shall be the Home Department, Government of Sikkim.

The responsibilities of arrangement of funds, invitation of nominations for awards, pre-screening of the documents received from the nominees, placing it before the Selection Committee duly convening a meeting, seeking Government approval and handing over the awards to the selected candidates in the programme shall be done by a Sub-Committee consisting of representatives of Home, Culture, Sports and other concerned departments.

All the notification/orders issued earlier in this regard, shall stand superseded.

S.C. Gupta, IAS
Chief Secretary,
Government of Sikkim
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ANNEXURE

1. Full name of nominee :
2. Permanent Address :
3. Contribution/achievements made by the nominee to the State of Sikkim – Details may be enclosed :
4. The Category of Sikkim State Civilian Award nominated.....
for
5. Whether nominee was awarded any other before, details thereof.
6. Date of nomination :

Signature

The Secretary (Protocol),
Home Department,
Government of Sikkim,
Gangtok.

